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Docket No.: HARTMANN-3

In re Application of:

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For: METHOD FOR THE ATTACHMENT
OF RIBBON CABLE SYSTEMS

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SIR:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the references listed on enclosed form PTO-1449 which were cited in corresponding International and Japanese patent applications, respectively. Applicant does not admit that any of the cited documents constitutes prior art against the pending application.

Copies of these references are submitted herewith along with form PTO-1449. The Examiner is requested to initial the attached form PTO-1449 and to return a copy of the initialed document to the undersigned as an indication that the attached references have been considered and made of record.

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This Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(3), so that no fee is due.

In order to satisfy the requirement under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3) for a concise explanation of the relevance of each item of information, applicant herewith submits a copy of an International Search Report. In addition, applicant notes with respect to any information that is not in English language as follows:

An English language abstract of WO 98/00329 is enclosed.

Japanese Publ. Pat. Appl. No. JP 2006-500738 corresponds to US Patent No. 7,341,804 and describes an anode composition that includes an elastomeric polymer binder, a plurality of electrochemically active metal particles dispersed in the binder, an electrically conductive diluent, and an adhesion promoter that promotes adhesion among the particles, the diluent, and the binder. Also featured are lithium ion batteries featuring anodes made from these compositions.

With regard to Japanese Pat. Appl. No. P2007-209446, applicant does ot have an English abstract currently at hand. It will be submitted as soon as it is made available.

The above-identified application discloses and claims an invention patentable over this prior art.

Entry of the references above set forth into the file of the above application is believed to be in order and is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.

Respectfully submitted

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